BRUCE SMITH

EAST ASIA JOURNAL P.O. BOX 11205 FT.WAYNE, IN 46856 USA

10/15/83

Deur Eric:

Here is my copy of the Vacca sale catalog, containing my notations on the lots. Also my bid card with the lots I received. About half the lots I wanted but didn't get, went to Ron Horstman. The rest mostly went to a fellow in the back row whom I didn't know. wasn't able to find out who he was. Please neturn when you've finished.

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Year	Sales	Operating Profit
1978	\$1,823,464	\$ 116,860
1979	\$1,942,331	\$ 90,787
1980	\$1,600,805	\$ (62,435)
1981	\$1,488,609	\$(146,073)
1982	\$1,292,074	\$(207,861)
1983 (through 10/10/83)	\$1,254,311*	

*This figure represents an increase of \$247,961 or 25% as compared to the same period last year.

Submitted by: Walter H. Heinecke

Date: October 17, 1983

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ERIC P. NEWMAN NUMISMATIC EDUCATION SOCIETY 6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri 63105 October 20, 1983 219 485 8223 Mr. Bruce Smith East Asia Journal P. O. Box 11205 Ft. Wayne, IN 46856 Dear Bruce: Thank you for your October 15, 1983 communication as to the items you purchased at the Vacca Sale. I had more or less figured out a good part of it from the pictures which you forwarded. I am returning your catalog under separate cover and notations herewith so that you will have them on hand and have made an excerpt. I would gladly buy the items which would fit into my collection, but prefer not to get involved with any of the duplicates. Do you want me to discuss the matter of the duplicates with Ron Horstman or with anyone else, or would you prefer to do that? Thank you very much for your prompt cooperation. Eric P. Newman jah Encls.

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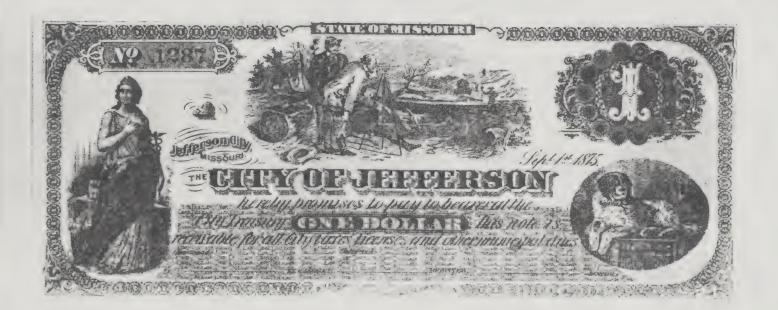
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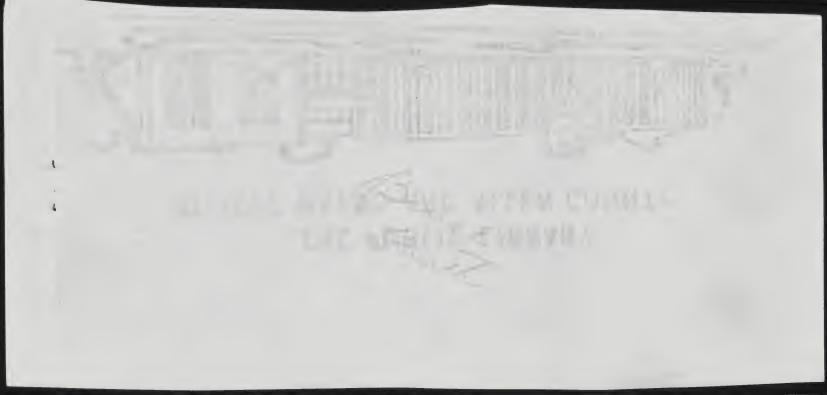


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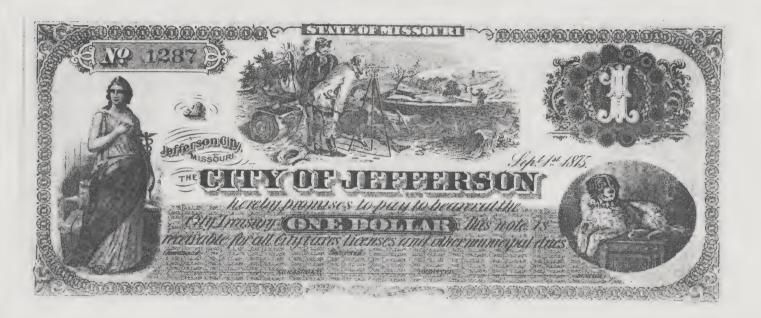
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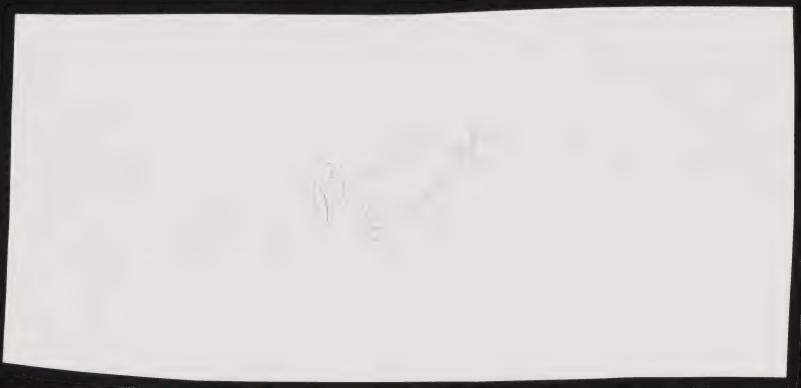
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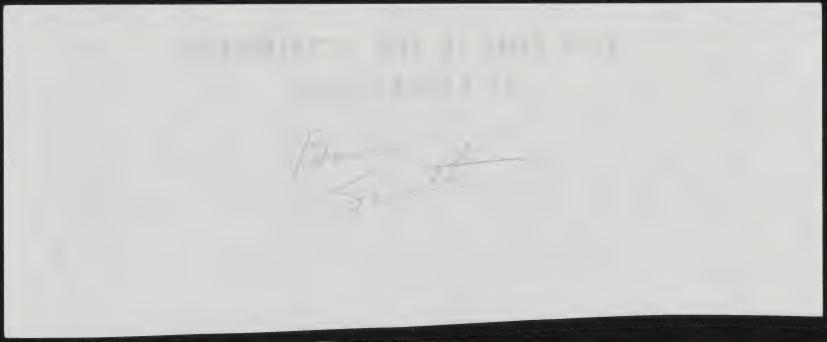
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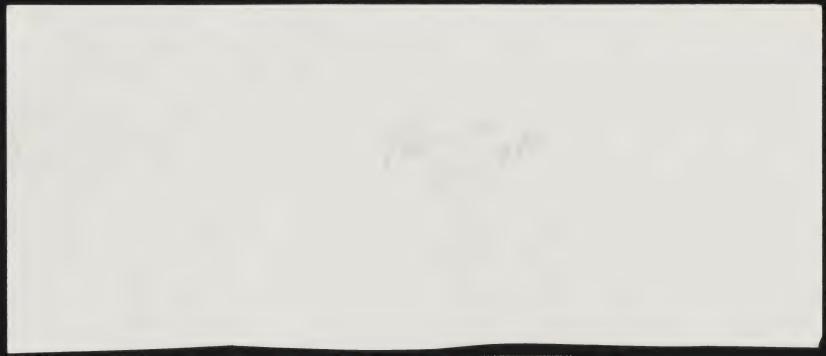




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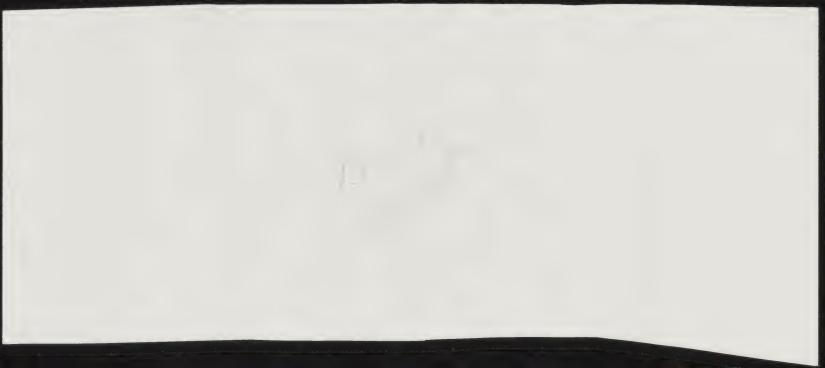


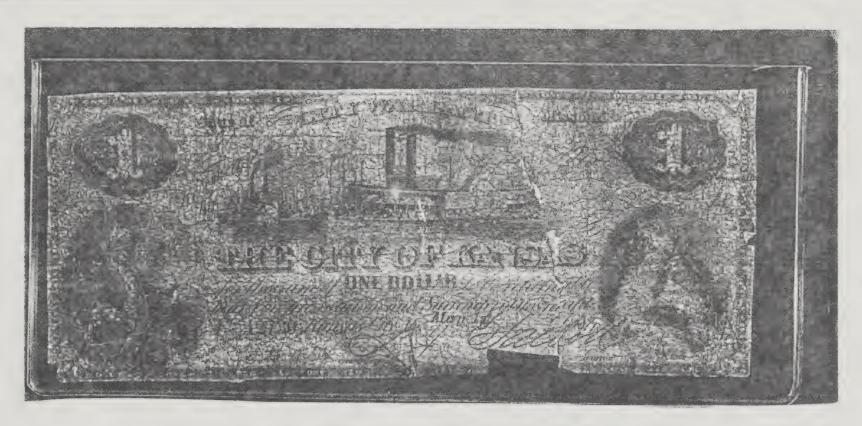


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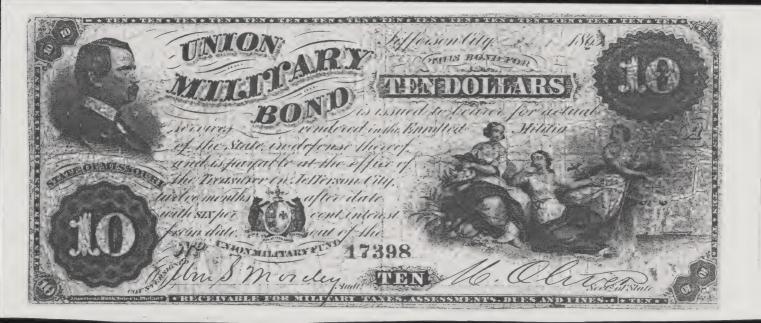
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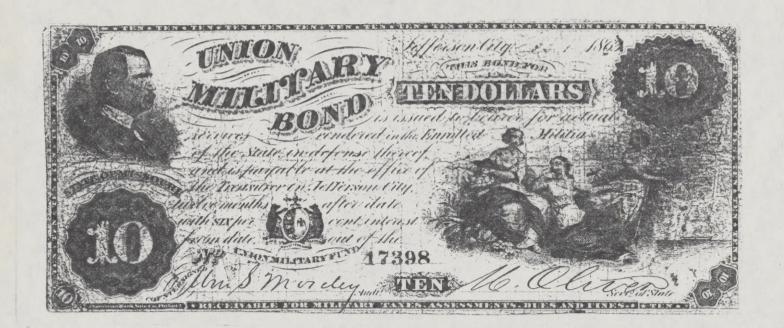
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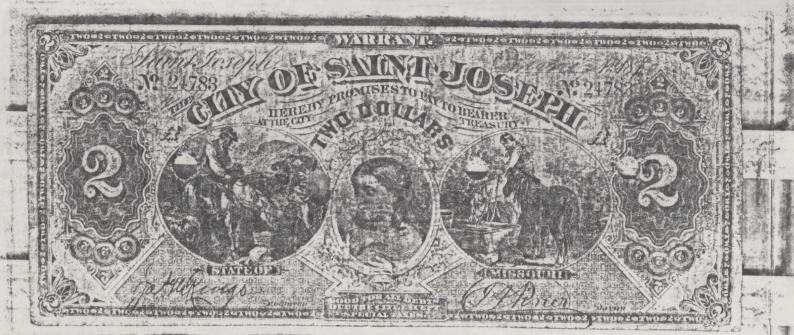
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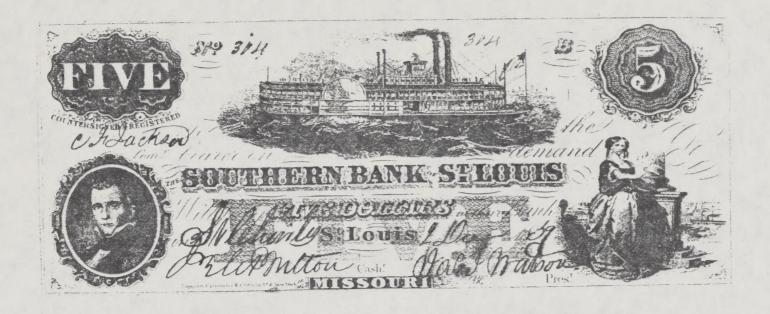


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